# Leaders of World War II By: Nicole Paradis, Justyn Clark and Ashley Nelson U.S. College-Prep History- Mrs. Luce (student teacher)

Pictures of Leaders By Ashley: "Wolfslayer," Photographs, Online. Available HTTP: http://www.hitler.org/images/hitler.wolfslayer.jpg

These pictures would be a primary source. This is where you can find some good pictures of Hitler. It also told some information about Hitler and the Holocaust. This website was intended to show people about Hitler. The authors view of Hitler was negative, in this website they made him out to be a "wolf slayer." This website was useful for finding good pictures of Hitler.

Nash, Gary B. American Odyssey. New York, NY: McGraw-Hill Companies, 1999.

I found a picture of Mussolini within this book. This is the textbook that we use in our U.S. History class. It would be a secondary source. This book is really useful and you can get a lot of information from it. The pictures that are within this book are very useful and descriptive. This book is intended to captures all audiences who are interested in finding out about World War II and other eras of history.

**Newspaper Articles By Ashley:** 

Lauter, Hugh. The Stars and Stripes. New York, NY: The Scribner Book Companies, 1985.

With this book I found all the newspaper articles that I needed. The articles would be a secondary source. There were many articles dealing with World War II. It was a very useful book to use and all of the articles were very in-depth written. This book was intended to reach all audiences if you're looking for articles dating back to the 1940's. I thought that this book was very useful.

**Magazine Articles By Ashley:** 

O'Conner, Jerome. "History Articles," Chicago Sunday Tribune Magazine, Available HTTP: <a href="http://www.historyarticles.com/new-page-3.htm">http://www.historyarticles.com/new-page-3.htm</a>

This website was where I found most of the magazine articles that I needed, dating back to World War II. At this website there were many other articles relating to many other topics. These articles would be secondary sources. This website was intended for all audiences who need to find articles dating back to some of the major events in history.

**Books By Justyn:** 

Cautious Crusade: Franklin D. Roosevelt, American Public Opinion, and the War Against Nazi Germany This is a secondary source. Steven Casey writes about how the war with Germany was never overly popular with the American people. In the book, Casey says how public opinion was very isolationist or almost pro- German. Numerous public figures during this time (including Father Coughlin and Charles Lindbergh) spoke in favor of Germany. President Roosevelt had to deal with public opinion and walk the "tightrope" of too much or too little involvement. This book is the first one to deal with public opinion polls and their influence on American foreign policy during the war. By Steven Casey

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#### Franklin and Winston: An Intimate Portrait of an Epic Friendship

This is a secondary source. The book Franklin and Winston: An Intimate Portrait of an Epic Friendship is about Winston and Roosevelt's relationship during WWII. Winston was a minister and Roosevelt was a president who spent enormous amounts of time together. Hitler brought them together by starting WWII and they drifted apart after the war. Meacham talks about Churchill and Roosevelt's relationship and how they talked about the war, their wives and each other's problems. By JON MEACHAM

### Hitler's Fatal Sickness and Other Secrets of the Nazi Leaders: Why Hitler "Threw Victory Away

By John K. Lattimer

This is a secondary source. John Lattimer cites reports of Hitler's tremors, first in the left hand, and then spreading to other limbs, his well documented attacks of rage. Lattimer has collected documents, photographs and artifacts to supplement the account of his experiences in the war. Lattimer reveals how Goring's tailors coped with his ponderous and fluctuating physique and presents photographic evidence of his daughter Edda trying to avoid the fuhrer's attentions.

#### Mussolini

By R. J. B. Bosworth

This is a secondary source. In 1945, disguised in German greatcoat and helmet, Mussolini attempted to escape from the advancing Allied armies. Unfortunately for him, partisans stopped the convoy of which he was part and his features, made so familiar by Fascist propaganda, gave him away. Within 24 hours his captors, joining those he sent early to their graves as an outcome of his tyranny, at least one million people, executed him.

#### The Dictators: Hitler's Germany, Stalin's Russia

By Richard Overy

This is a secondary source. Richard Overy gives us an absorbing study of Hitler and Stalin, ranging from their private and public selves, their ascents to power and consolidation of absolute rule, to their waging of massive war and creation of far-flung empires of camps and prisons. The Nazi extermination camps and the vast Soviet Gulag represent the two dictatorships in their most inhuman form. Overy shows us the human and historical roots of these evils.

#### **Websites By Nicole:**

#### "Second World War Encyclopedia," Website.

#### http://www.spartacus.schoolnet.co.uk/2WWpoliticians.htm

This is a secondary source. The website contains the world war two political leaders from many different countries; Britain, Soviet Union, USA, Germany and Austria, France, Japan, Italy and a bunch of miscellaneous leaders. This site provides background information on the political leaders of world war two. This website contains a large amount of detailed information on each leader and is directed to anyone who wants to learn about WWII.

#### "Political leaders of World War two," Website.

#### http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk/political leaders of world war t.htm

This is a secondary source. This website has information on five political leaders of world war two, Churchill, Hitler, Truman, Stalin and FDR. It provides information dealing with all their early years and their actions during war. This website contains a great deal of strong information and has an action picture of each leader. The information is directed towards high school students.

#### "Leaders of the Allies and Axis," Website.

#### http://www.angelfire.com/mn3/history ww2/site5.html

This is a secondary source. This website has information on four political leaders of world war two, Churchill, Hitler, Stalin and Roosevelt. The information on this site is brief, about one paragraph long and deals with only their political activities and actions. It also provides a vivid picture of each leader. This website contains basic information on each leader and is directed towards anyone who wants to learn a little bit about WWII.

#### "World War 2 leaders," Website.

#### http://www.2worldwar2.com/leaders.htm

This is a secondary source. This website has information on five political leaders of world war two, Mussolini, Hitler, Churchill, Roosevelt, Stalin and a tiny blurb of Hirohito. It provides a brief paragraph of information on their political activities and actions in war. It also states what role they were like aggressors or defender. This website contains a lot of good information for its short length and is directed towards high school students.

## "World War II Web Museum: Did Powerful Leaders of the Early 20th Century Provoke World War Two, or was World Conflict Inevitable?," Website. http://www.pomperaug.com/socstud/stumuseum/web/mrchome.htm

This is a secondary source. This website has information on three political leaders of world war two, Churchill, Mussolini, Stalin. It provides a brief paragraph of information on their political activities and actions in war. It also provides other links you may go to

at the bottom of the page. high school students.	This website contains good information and is directed towards